

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MARYLAND**

THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF THE
BLIND,
THE COUNSEL OF PARENT ATTORNEYS
AND ADVOCATES, INC. and
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE
ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED PEOPLE,
INC.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF
EDUCATION,
BETSY DEVOS and
CANDICE JACKSON,

Defendants.


Civil Action No. TDC-18-1568

ORDER

On December 26, 2018, Defendants filed a Motion for a Stay in Light of a Lapse of Appropriations. ECF No. 42. It is hereby ORDERED that the Motion is GRANTED IN PART.

1. The Motion for a Stay is DENIED.
2. Defendants' Motion to Dismiss is now due by **January 17, 2019**.
3. Defendants must file a motion to obtain any further extensions. If Plaintiffs oppose further extensions, they must file a response stating why they are prejudiced by the stay in proceedings.

Date: January 2, 2019


THEODORE D. CHUANG
United States District Judge